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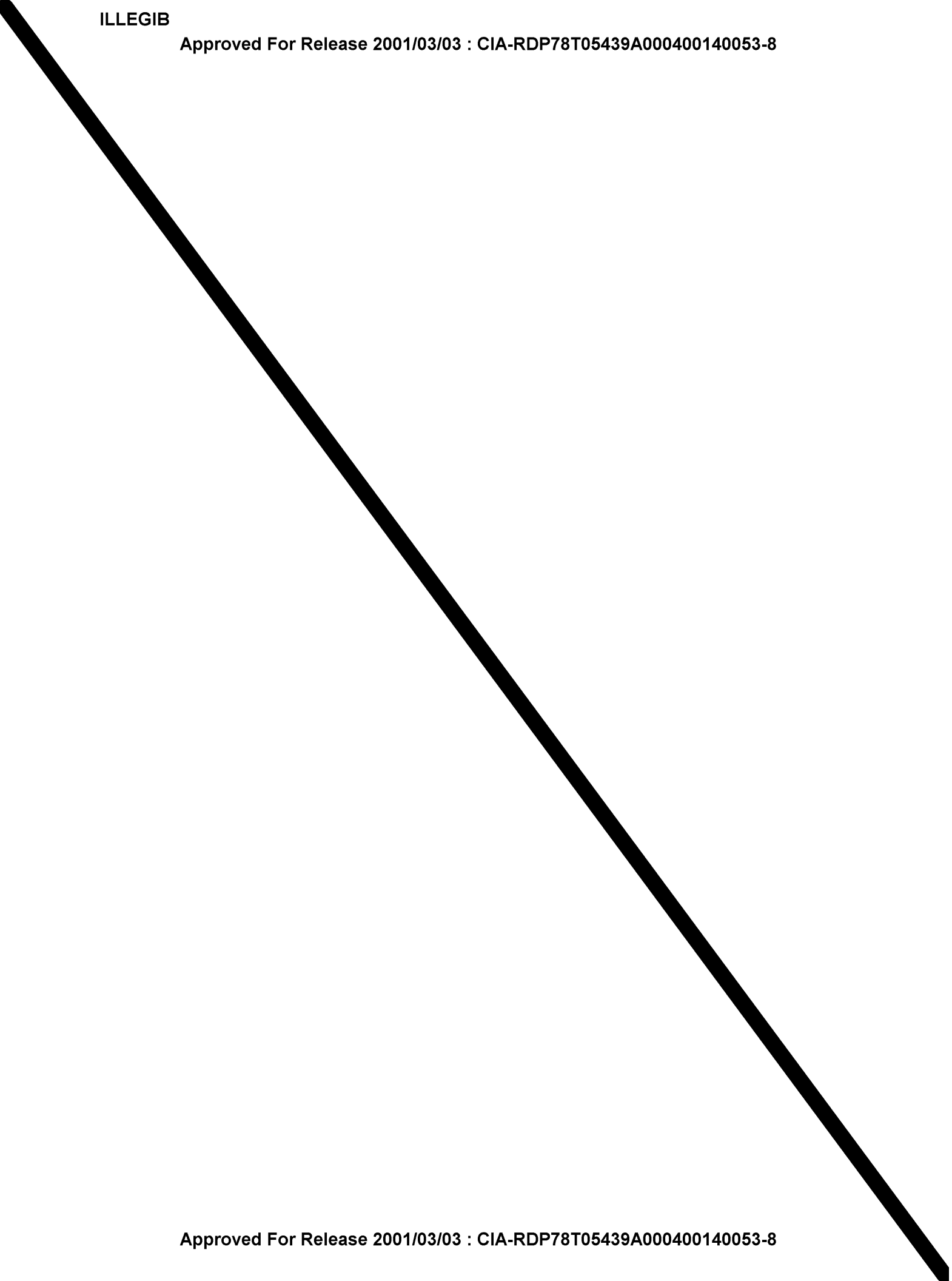

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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: A) railroad service, B) road service, C) landing strips, D) administrative and troop housing areas, E) storage areas, F) ammunition storage areas, G) POL storage areas, H) other buildings and facilities, I) equipment storage maintenance areas, K) athletic fields, L) small arms firing ranges, M) driver training areas, N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, P) flat trajectory firing ranges, Q) artillery emplacements/batteries, R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, S) special training facilities, T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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BERDICHEV ARMY BARRACKS ZHEVTNEVYY

(49-52N 028-35E)

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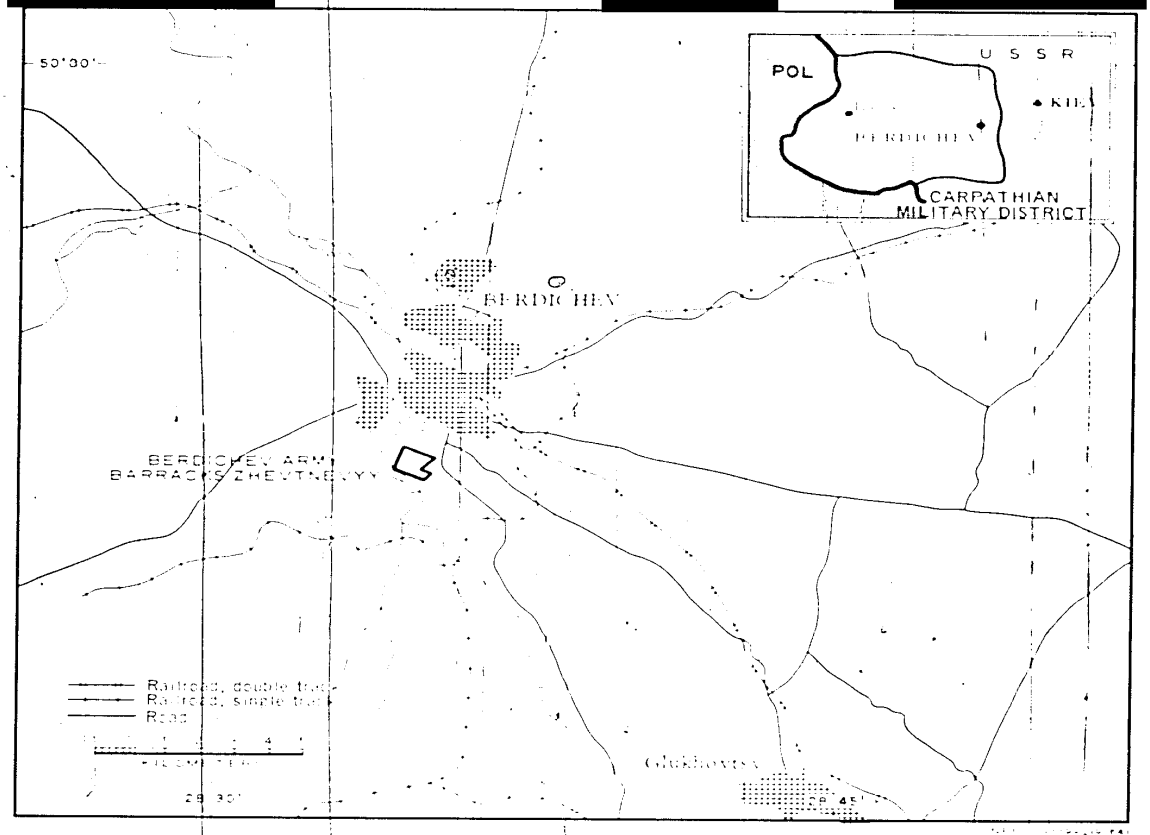

FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF BERDICHEV ARMY BARRACKS ZHEVTNEVYY.

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SUMMARY

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This barracks installation is located approximately 1.6 kilometers (km) southwest of Berdichev and approximately 1.5 km from Berdichev Army Barracks Semenovka West (Figure 1). The installation covers 360 acres and is road served. Railroads serve the city of Berdichev. On the south side of the road to Berdichev, opposite the barracks area, is a scarred area, apparently an excavation probably not connected with the military installation. The barracks area (Figures 2 and 3) is active and is connected with tracked- and wheeled-vehicle driver training courses south of the barracks.

A comparative study of KEYHOLE missions from [redacted] revealed no major changes in the area. A more detailed comparison of photography dated [redacted] revealed the presence of a number of small buildings not observed on the [redacted] photography due to the overgrowth of vegetation. The [redacted] mission, which is snow covered, reveals less activity than previous missions.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

There is no rail service into the installation; however, a single track rail line runs south of the installation and into the city of Berdichev, 1.5 km away.

Road Service

The main road runs along the south edge of this installation and is probably two lanes with hard-top construction. It connects this installation with Berdichev Army Barracks Semenovka West.

Aircraft Landing Strip

Berdichev Airfield [redacted] is located 2.3 km WNW of the installation.

Administrative and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 12 multistory barracks, 3 administration buildings, one multistory, and 42 support buildings.

General Storage Areas

Area E1 contains 3 general storage buildings, one probably multistory.

Area E2 contains 13 general storage buildings, and Area E3 contains seven.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 contains 3 maintenance buildings probably for track/wheeled-vehicle maintenance, 300 by 50 feet, 160 by 35 feet, and 120 by 30 feet. Two are probably multistory.

Area J2 contains one 290- by 50-foot vehicle shed.

Area J3 contains three 260- by 50-foot vehicle sheds and 4 maintenance buildings, 50 by 25 feet, 120 by 60 feet, 60 by 25 feet, and 110 by 50 feet.

Small Arms Firing Ranges

Area L1 is a 380- by 50-foot range, and Area L2 is a 370- by 125-foot range.

Area L3 is two ranges, 310 by 50 feet and 230 by 40 feet, and Area L4 is a 370- by 125-foot range.

Ranges L2 and L4 are surrounded by either a wall or an earth revetment on three sides and on one side by a building measuring 80 by 20 feet, leaving an opening of 45 feet.

Unidentified Facilities or Tracking Activity

Area F, south of the barracks, is an excavated area of about 100 acres with eight probable equipment storage buildings. Although this activity is adjacent to the barracks area, it does not appear to be connected in any way.

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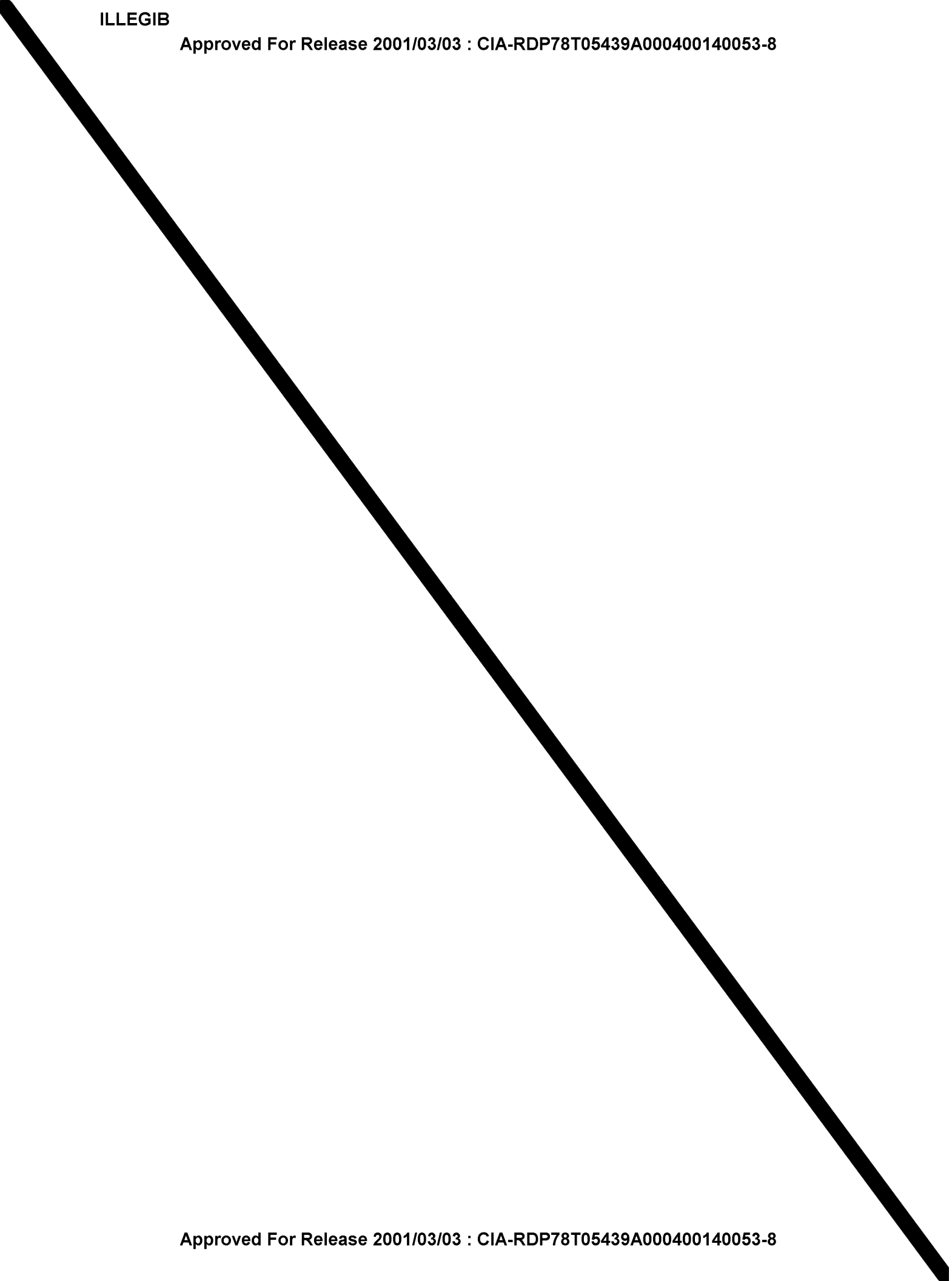

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FIGURE 3. BERDICHEV ARMY BARRACKS ZHEVTNEVKA [redacted]

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